The Passover instituted.

The Scriptures declare that the Lord hardened Pharaoh's heart. The explanation is that it was the goodness of God in the removal of the various plagues that hardened Pharaoh's heart. The tenth plague was the crisis. All the first-borns of Egypt died, but the first-borns of Israel under the sprinkled blood were safe. Thus God pictured the « Church of the First-borns », now being « called » out from the world. After glorification by the First Resurrection they will be the « Royal Priesthood », Spiritual Levites, for the blessing of all Israel, and through Israel all the families of the Earth

Bible students hold the Passover night to have typified this Gospel Age of nearly nineteen centuries, during which the spirit begotten ones, the Church of the First-borns, are to be passed over, or specially saved, and made partakers of the Divine nature and associates in the Messianic Kingdom of a thousand years for the blessing of the later born, during Messiah's Reign. The blood sprinkled on the door-posts typed faith in the blood of Christ. (1 Corinthians 5 : 7-8 ; Hebrews 12 : 23 ; 10 : 19-23.)

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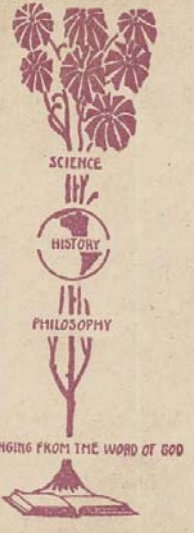

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